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Herr Most Arrested

New York Anarchistic Editor Now in the Hands of Police.

Found in a Bar-room—He Objects Volubly to His Arrest.

Not Allowed to See Anyone and Booked as a "Suspicious Person."

New York, Sept. 12.—(Special.)—Johann Most, one of the most widely known of New York anarchists and editor of the Freiheit organ of anarchy, was arrested tonight by Central Office detectives Krauch and Frenesen. The arrest was made in a saloon. Herr Most objected volubly to the arrest, but to no purpose, and he was locked up at police headquarters as a "suspicious person." Capt. Titus refused to allow him to see anyone or to make a statement, the captain declaring he would not allow the prisoner to pose as a martyr. The complaint against him, which covers five and a half typewritten pages, is based on and quotes in full an editorial which Most printed in his paper on September 7. It reads in part: "The greatest of all follies in the world is the belief that there can be a crime and a punishment. Such a belief is in itself a crime. Despotism is outlaws, they are in human shape, what the tiger is among the beasts; to spare them is a crime. As despots make use of everything, they should be employed against everything. Yes, the crime directed against them is not merely a right, it is also the duty of everyone who has the opportunity to carry it out and will be his glory if it is successful. Revolution is nothing but defence; murder as an instrument of defence is not merely allowed, it is a duty towards society when it is directed against a professional. After Most's arrest, we know them all and everywhere personally. There can be no absolute success if they are again spared. Whatever stands on the other side of the line which divides the camp of ruling possessors of power from that of the poor, the oppressed, the ban, let the people carry out the sentence. We say, murder and murder. Save humanity by blood and steel, poison and dynamite. After Most was locked up, Capt. Titus displayed the editorial and said: "There is a place on North Brother Island for those suffering from contagious diseases and other places for those who are insane, and those murderers inclined, and we believe we can find a place for men who publish such articles."

Most protested to the captain that he had committed no crime and that all that appeared in his paper was simply opinion in a new guise that had been printed and reprinted and voiced thousands of times in the last fifty years. Herr Most's residence is in Brooklyn. The police records show he was arrested in 1886 for making inflammatory speeches in this city. Recorder Smythe sentenced him to one year's imprisonment and a fine of \$500. He served his sentence at Blackwell's Island. In 1887 he was again arrested and charged with being the cause of an unlawful assembly and inciting to violence. He was found guilty by Judge Cowing and sentenced to one year's imprisonment. He appealed, but was not successful, and served his time. In 1891 he was again arrested but not convicted.

TORONTO'S RECEPTION. Civic Committee Squabbles Over Positions and Society is Agitated. Toronto, Sept. 12.—The civic reception committee have invited the citizens committee to name seven citizens to co-operate in the welcome to the Duke and Duchess. The citizens' committee failed to raise any money for decorations, the time being occupied in squabbling over seven members to be added to the civic committee. Today the civic committee refused an invitation, and in consequence there is much agitation in society circles. The city will spend \$1,500 on the first day's welcome.

STEEL SHIP BUILDING. Mr. Fielding Intimates Dominion Government Will Aid It. Halifax, Sept. 12.—Hon. W. S. Fielding, in an interview here, gives the impression that the Dominion government is inclined to assist in steel ship building in Canada, and intimates the desire of the government to have fast Atlantic liners built in Canada should that project become an accomplished fact, which he thinks is within the possibilities of the near future. He would, however, convey no secrets of the government in this connection any more than by saying that the Canadian public would have no reason to feel ashamed of the service should it be inaugurated.

ARRESTED IN VANCOUVER. Railway Agent of Waneta Charged With Stealing. Rossland, B. C., Sept. 12.—W. J. G. Magner, the Nelson and Port Sheppard railway agent at Waneta, has been placed under arrest at Vancouver and will be brought to Nelson for trial. He is charged with the offense of stealing \$800 from the account of a payment by the manager of the Second Relief mine, on account of import duties on machinery brought in from Spokane. Magner decamped from Waneta on Sunday last, and was arrested this morning.

THE QUEEN'S STATUE. Unseemly Quarrel Between Ontario Government and Toronto. Toronto, Sept. 12.—The city and provincial government are at loggerheads over the site for the statue to Queen Victoria. The province will erect one, but the city refuses the site that the government desires. The government therefore threatens to erect the statue in Guelph or Hamilton.

BET ROOT SUGAR. An Immense Plant to be Erected in Ontario. Winton, Sept. 12.—The Colonial Construction Company of Montreal have been awarded the contract for the erection of a building and plant for a beet root sugar factory in Ontario, with a capacity of seven hundred tons per day. The contract price is \$350,000.

NURSE'S SUICIDE. Margaret Plant of Montreal Shoots Herself and Will Die. Montreal, Sept. 12.—Margaret Plant, a trained nurse, shot herself at a boarding house on St. Catherine street this afternoon. The bullet entered her side, and so far the doctors here are unable to extract it. She will probably die. No cause is known for her act.

CASUALTIES. British Losses in Fight in Great Maries Valley. Mafeking, Cape Colony, Sept. 12.—The British casualties in the Great Maries Valley, September 6 and 8, when Gen. Bullen was engaged with Venter and Delarey, driving the Boers from a strong position, were 25 killed and 30 wounded, including Capt. Croft.

ANOTHER COAL FIND.

New Seam Uncovered Near Ladysmith by Wellington Colliery Company.

Nainaimo, Sept. 12.—(Special.)—Inspector of Mines Morgan says the Wellington Colliery Company have discovered a new seam of coal one mile and a half north of Ladysmith, near the creek. An outcrop on the surface was inspected by Messrs. Settle and Bryden, and a seam six feet and a half wide was uncovered. Mr. Waters, secretary of the Spiritualists, returned at noon from Victoria. It is expected action will be taken by him for his arrest yesterday.

Jeremiah, an Indian, is supposed to be lost while fishing in the rapids alone in a canoe. The upturned canoe and a hat were found, but all hope for the Indian is given up.

COMMITTED FOR TRIAL.

End of Preliminary Hearing of Case Against Mr. Roblin's Partner.

Winnipeg, Man., Sept. 12.—(Special.)—The preliminary hearing of the Roblin-Mills cattle case, in which the Manitoba premier charges his former partner with theft, was concluded today. Mills was committed to stand trial at a higher court.

Presentation Of Medals

Notice to South African Veterans As to Uniform to Be Worn.

Department Does Not Assume to Dictate Dress to Civilians.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Ottawa, Sept. 12.—The militia department issued the following notice today: "Some misapprehension appears to exist as regards instructions for dress for those persons who are to receive South African medals from the Duke of Cornwall during his tour of Canada. Officers, non-commissioned officers and men serving in units of the active militia, must attend in the prescribed uniform of the militia corps to which they belong, in accordance with Canadian regulations. To do otherwise would be an act of gross disrespect to His Royal Highness, of which no Canadian soldier should be guilty. "Individuals who have been discharged from any of the special service corps, Canadian unit, are simply civilians, and are not in any way under the orders of the militia department. "The effect of this order is that any man entitled to a medal not a member of the militia can appear in any garb he pleases, but those belonging to existing corps or run the chance of being court-martialed. "The aggregate trade of the Dominion for the fiscal year ending June 30 shows an increase of \$6,000,000. The imports from Great Britain were \$43,018,164, compared with \$41,787,730 for the previous year. Exports to Great Britain were \$92,857,525. Imports from the United States increased half a million dollars and the exports to the United States increased \$7,000,000. Imports and exports to France show an increase. Imports from Germany decreased and export increased."

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A Serious Relapse

For a Short Time President McKinley's Condition Was Somewhat Worse.

Food Administered to Him Had Not Agreed With the Patient.

Early This Morning Doctors Reported Symptoms Had Become Critical.

Buffalo, Sept. 12.—The following was issued by the President's physicians at 8:30 p.m.:

"The President's condition this evening is not quite so good, his food has not agreed with him and has been stopped. Excretion has not yet been properly established, the kidneys are acting well. His pulse is not satisfactory, but has improved in the last two hours. The wound is doing well. He is resting quietly. Temperature, 100.2; pulse, 128. (Signed) "O. M. Rixey, M. D. Mann, Roswell Park, Herman Mynter, Eugene Wadlin, Chas. G. Stockton, Geo. B. Cortelyou, secretary to the President." The slight alarm which was felt when this afternoon's bulletin appeared was increased when the physicians assembled for their evening consultation. The cheerfulness of the morning was succeeded by apprehension, and a dreary rain, which began to fall, added to the gloomy feeling which prevailed.

The bulletin was personally delivered to the members of the press by Secretary Cortelyou, and the frankness with which the physicians announced the President's condition was not so good, disquieting as it was, a relief. It was explained to the Associated Press that the trouble which existed was due to the fact that the food taken this morning had not agreed with the President. It had not been disposed of, and the rise in the pulse was attributed to that fact. It was stated quite positively that the consulting physicians did not believe that the failure to digest the food was due to the condition of the wounds in the sides of the stomach, which were believed to be practically healed, and so pronounced by Dr. McBurney and his associates. The fact that the food would not agree with the patient could not have been anticipated, so it was stated, but as soon as it was found that it had not, the administration of food by the mouth was discontinued. The problem which now confronts the physicians is to dispose of this undigested food in the stomach. Dr. Mann, who is considered the chief surgeon in absence of Dr. McBurney, is confident that the undigested food will pass away during the night.

The following bulletin was issued by the President's physicians at 12 o'clock midnight: "All unfavorable symptoms in the President's condition have improved since the last bulletin. Pulse, 120; temperature, 100.2."

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Machinery For the Coast

Queen City Will Take Material for Aerial Tramway at Hayes Mines.

Derelict Sighted—Ship Baroda May Prove a Total Loss.

Steamer Queen City, when she sails for the West Coast on Saturday night, will carry another shipment of machinery. On the C. P. S. what is a large shipment of buckets, brackets, wire and other machinery for the construction of an aerial tramway at the Hayes mines to carry the ore from the rapidly developing property to the large wharf now about complete at Hayes Landing.

On nearly every trip the steamer has made for the past few months she has carried machinery for one or other of the promising mines on the West Coast. The Monitor, which is shipping ore at intervals, has received a large amount, and both the Thistle and Hayes mines on Alberni canal, have also received large consignments of machinery. More are going. Vreck Bay has been importing mining machinery, and at other points here and there on the coast there is a demand for mining machinery.

This carrying of mining machinery to the West Coast is but one feature of the growing trade on the Island Coast, which two or three years ago was not half as great as at present. On every trip the Queen City has a good number of passengers, and the freight being carried to Coast ports is ever increasing.

FOR THE NORTH.

Princess Louise and Nell sail for Northern British Columbia Ports.

Steamer Princess Louise, which sailed for Nanaimo and way ports last night, had a small passenger list, and a none too heavy cargo of freight, for both travel and movement of freight seems to be heavier from the north just now than on the up trips. Her freight was mostly of general merchandise for the various ports of call. Her passengers from here were Miss A. Holmes, H. and J. Pauline and Miss Kiskadee.

The steamer Nell, which also sailed yesterday for the north, took up her trip of typical prospectors. W. S. Males and son were two of these, and they took up with them a 30-foot Columbia river sailing boat, with sails and equipment, which is to be used for traveling along the coast of the Queen Charlotte Islands looking for gold bodies or places where they are landed at Skidegate by the Nell. Another passenger on the Nell was a Japanese who intends to establish a salmon salting industry at Skidegate.

A DERELICT.

Wreck of Vessel 250 Feet Long Sighted Near Equator.

The steamer Meteor, which has arrived at San Francisco from Baltimore, reported sighting a derelict vessel in latitude 10, 34 minutes north longitude, 99 degrees, 33 minutes west, which is off Central America, and about the distance north of the Galapagos Islands. The derelict was made August 29. The wrecked vessel is described as about 250 feet long, with one spar standing upright about 4 feet above water.

THE STRANDED BARODA.

Is Fast Similarly to the Lost Glenmorang and Potrimpos.

The stranded ship Baroda, which went ashore near the Coquille river, seems to be in as bad a state as the lost ships Potrimpos and Glenmorang, both of which were so badly stranded that they could not be floated. No arrangements have been made to save her as yet, for the person who attempts the feat takes considerable risk on his hand, for salvors will have to accept a contract on the "no cure, no pay" plan. The compensation of the achievement will be on the percentage basis, and salvors will have to pocket all losses. As the vessel is worth \$75,000, success will doubtless be richly repaid.

The Baroda is broadside on the beach, with her bow toward Coquille. She is six feet in the sand, and is resting easy. Low tide leaves her high and dry, so that one may walk around her, and even descend to the water's edge, and the surf is piling the sand up behind her and forcing her up the beach, as was the case with the Glenmorang and the Potrimpos. Thus cannot render any assistance. It seems likely that the vessel must be done on shore. She has about 400 tons of ballast aboard, which will have to be removed. Capt. Marr and his crew have been living on the beach in tents made of sails, and have stripped the ship.

MARINE NOTES.

Steamer Walla Walla was delayed at Seattle in loading freight, and it was not until yesterday afternoon at 2:30 that she sailed for San Francisco. She took a cargo of 1,800 tons south, including salmon from Alaska, from Eastport, Washington, 100, and from Seattle, 100. The German ship Admiral Tegethoff, which sailed from Antofagasta on July 12, passed up to Chenaia from the sea yesterday morning, making the fifth visit at Chenaia. The Rufus E. Wood, Hawaiian Isles and Port George are loading there.

MARINE NOTES.

Steamer North Pacific, leaving here tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock, will go through to Tacoma for another heavy load of freight for Brackman & Ker. Returning, she will leave Seattle for Victoria tomorrow at midnight, instead of at 10 p.m., arriving here early Sunday morning.

Misses—Now, Bridget, there is one thing I must insist upon. If you break anything I want you to come and tell me at once.

Bridget—Sure, ma'am, I can't be runnin' to ye every mornin' of the day.

Brooklyn Life.

The people of lived well before, said the new cook, who was a ma'am.

Well, are we not plain here? asked the lady.

Truth, ye are so, ma'am, but in a different way. The others work plain in their way o' livin', not in their looks, ma'am.

Philadelphia Press.

As to matrimony—Niece—As we're both single, auntie, we haven't any experience! Maiden Aunt—But I'm older than you—Niece—Well, yes, you've had a longer experience!

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SHUSWAP LAKE.

From Inland Sentinel.

Mining is progressing near Shuswap lake, at Shuswap, B. C. J. Irvine has six men at work on his group of claims, now taken over by an eastern syndicate. A cross-cut tunnel is being run to cut the lead at a depth of over 100 feet. The vein is 100 feet wide and is expected to cross-cut the vein in the next 30 feet. The vein on the property is 40 feet wide and is pyritic with copper pyrites and gold values. J. Wright has two men working on his Bluebird group of claims. Here also the vein is pyritic and copper pyrites with gold values. A number of prospectors are working over this section of the country and some promising finds are reported.

POORMAN MINE.

From Nelson Tribune.

The Duncan United Mines has let a contract with the Rand Drill Company for a compressor to take the place of the one which was destroyed at the Poorman mine just prior to the Granite Mines going into liquidation. The terms of the contract require the compressor to be installed in 40 days, but it is thought that the company will have the same in working order inside of 30 days. This compressor will be of sufficient capacity to furnish all the power required at the Poorman-Granite properties, and when it is installed work upon the property will be resumed on a larger scale than ever before, it being the present intention to resume development with a force of at least 70 men. While the compressor is being installed preliminary work will be undertaken. One of the main features in the programme of development will be the sinking of a shaft, from which several new levels will be opened up. The company has had a crowd of men at work for some time in getting the preliminary work in shape for the sinking of this shaft.

ROAD WORK.

From Rossland Miner.

H. W. C. Jackson came in last night from the St. Thomas wagon road to transact several matters of business arising in connection with the enterprise. A force of 50 men is now at work in the road and excellent progress is being made. One mile of the road has been completed and about five miles of the right-of-way prepared for the construction gang. The force is spread along this section and the work is being advanced rapidly. Mr. Jackson is confident that the road will be ready for the government inspector's visit by October 15 at the very latest, and that a few days additional work will render it complete in every respect. The main dependence, of course, on reasonably good weather prevailing during the period specified.

CUPID'S RECRUITS.

Stories of Army Recruiting, Told by the Sergeant.

From Tit-Bits.

Curious customers? said a recruiting sergeant, whose hearty laugh of amusement belied his fierce and stern aspect. I should think so, indeed. The if I could collect all the candidates for "martial glory" who have come to me for enlistment they would form the old collection you could see outside the walls of an asylum. Indeed, several of them ought to be in an asylum, but I have never seen him since, and I am convinced he must have been an escaped lunatic.

But there never was such a recruiting sergeant as Cupid. You would be astonished if you knew how many recruits he sends us. Not many months ago a young fellow—obviously an aristocrat, from his speech and manners—came to me and insisted on being enlisted. He made no mention of his proposal and threat, and I am the greatest of all, Napoleon himself was an infant in warfare to me; and if you will only get me sent to the front and Lord Kitchener sent home, I will guarantee to end the war in a month.

Of course, I told him that I couldn't arrange this without first consulting Lord Roberts, and on promising to let him know the commander-in-chief, he decided on being enlisted. He made no mention of his proposal and threat, and I am the greatest of all, Napoleon himself was an infant in warfare to me; and if you will only get me sent to the front and Lord Kitchener sent home, I will guarantee to end the war in a month.

What could I do but enlist him? But he wasn't a soldier many weeks; for in the following month I saw him, bringing with him a lovely girl in the Park, both looking radiantly happy; and every day I am expecting to see an announcement of the wedding of the Hon. Alfred to Lady Isabel.

But these love-dramas don't always end thus happily to the sound of wedding bells. Early last year another young man came to me in quite a pitiful state of depression; told me he had been cruelly jilted and had made up his mind to go out to South Africa in search of a bullet to end his unhappiness.

I was very interested in the young fellow and his story; and, as he was drafted to a regiment in which my younger brother is a sergeant, I offered him a home with me. Of course, I have heard of him. Well, he was sent out to South Africa, and after winning golden opinions for his pluck and amiability, he was struck down by enteric and died in a few days. I have heard that he died the poor fellow handed a portrait and a bundle of letters to my brother, and begged him to send them, "with his dying love," to the girl whose heartlessness had sent him to his death.

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Scenes of married men prefer the horrors and risks of war to hellish wives, and resort to all kinds of expedients to get enlisted. One man, who must have been a very good fellow, had shaved his face, dyed his hair (it was unfortunately dyed in patches), and got himself up, as he thought, to look like a man in the early twenties. Of course, he was sent to the front, and when he saw the game was up he told me such a tale of domestic misery as made me feel very sorry for him. "I'd rather face a thousand Boer bullets any day than that awful wife of mine," he declared; and I quite believed him.

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NORTH BOUND.	Daily		Saturday	Sunday
	A.M.	P.M.		
Leave VICTORIA	8.00	4.25		
Leave GOLDSTREAM	8.28	4.53		
Leave SHAWNIGAN LAKE	10.15	5.42		
Leave COBBLE HILL	10.28	5.55		
Leave DUNCANS	10.56	6.20		
Leave NANAIMO	12.45	8.02		
Arrive WELLINGTON	1.00	8.17		

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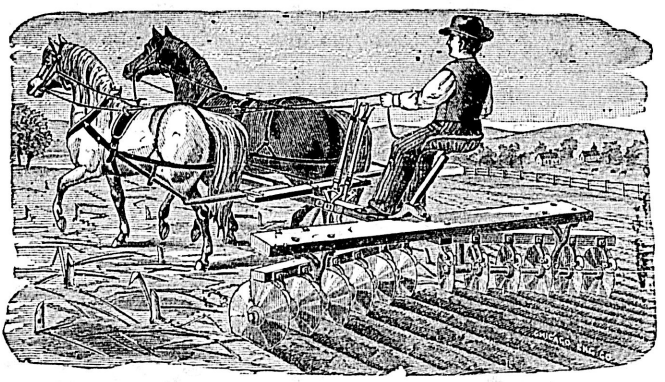
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As soon as his wife heard what he had done, and that he was likely to be sent out to South Africa, she was so distressed that she raised the necessary money to buy him out, and after promising with tears, "never, never to lose her temper again," induced him to go back to her. She kept her word, too; for I saw my recruit only a few weeks ago, and he told me that he never did a wrong thing in his life than when he became a "Soldier of the Queen."

Ah, mused the phenologist, passing his hand over the bumps upon the head of Mr. H. the element of combativeness is very largely developed.

Yes, said Mr. Henpeck, sotto voce, but you are supposed to be reading my character, not my wife's—Baltimore American.

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No. 184.
CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION
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COMPANY.

"COMPANIES ACT, 1897."

I hereby certify that the "Pacific Improvement Company" has this day been registered as an Extra-Provincial Company under the "Companies Act, 1897," to carry out or effect all or any of the objects of the Company to which the legislative authority of the Legislature of British Columbia extends.

The head office of the Company is situated in the City of San Francisco, State of California, U. S. A. The amount of the capital of the company is \$5,000,000, divided in 50,000 shares of \$100 each.

The head office of the company in this Province is situated at Victoria, and Charles E. Pooley, Barrister, whose address is Victoria aforesaid, is the attorney for the company, (not empowered to issue or transfer stocks.) The time of the existence of the company is fifty years. The company is limited.

Given under my hand and Seal of Office at Victoria, Province of British Columbia, this 3rd day of September, one thousand, nine hundred and one.

S. Y. WOOTTON,
Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

The following are the objects for which the Company has been established:

For the purpose of engaging in, and carrying on the construction, manufacturing, mining, mercantile, mechanical, banking and commercial business in all its branches.

Also for the purpose of receiving deposits of money and loaning the same.

Also for the purpose of purchasing, owning and holding real property, improving and selling the same.

Also for the construction, leasing and operating of all kinds of public and private improvements such as railroads, plank roads, turnpike roads, wagon roads, bridges, ferries, wharves, docks, piers, telegraph lines, canals, ditches for draining agricultural, mining, navigation or other purposes.

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Tenders will not be considered unless made out on the forms supplied, and accompanied by an accepted bank cheque or certificate or deposit on a chartered Bank of Canada in the sum of one thousand (\$1,000) dollars, made payable to the undersigned, which will be forfeited if the party tendering declines to enter into contract when called upon to do so. Cheques of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned when contract is awarded.

The agreement on the form of tender to enter into a bond for the due fulfillment of the contract shall be signed by the tenderer and two responsible residents of British Columbia in the sum of three thousand (\$3,000) dollars each.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. S. GORE,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B. C., 6th September, 1901.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.
Kettle River Bridge, at Ingram's, West Kootenay District.

Sealed tenders, properly indorsed, will be received by the undersigned up to noon of Monday, the 30th September inst., for the erection and completion of a bridge across the Kettle River at Ingram's, West Kootenay District, B. C.

Drawings, specifications, and form of contract may be seen at the Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B. C., and at the office of the Government Agent, Greenwood, on and after the 1st inst.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque or certificate of deposit, made payable to the undersigned, for the sum of six hundred (\$600) dollars, as security for the due fulfillment of the contract, which shall be forfeited if the party tendering declines to enter into contract when called upon to do so, or if he fails to complete the work contracted for. The cheques of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them upon the execution of the contract.

Tenders will not be considered unless made out on the forms supplied and signed with the actual signature of the tenderers. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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Leave Seattle	10.30 a.m.	Arrive Hootalinqua	2.30 p.m.
Leave Seattle	11.40 a.m.	Arrive Big Salmon	1.40 p.m.
Leave Seattle	12.05 p.m.	Arrive White Horse	1.30 p.m.
Leave Seattle	1.40 p.m.	Arrive Stewart River	12.30 a.m.
Leave Seattle	4.00 p.m.	Arrive Klondike	7.00 p.m.

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Girls' Joke.—It was learned yesterday that the bottle containing a message purporting to be from a member of the sealing schooner Minnie, which was lost last year, was found on board by a girl employed in a factory on the waterfront, to tease another of the girls in the factory, never imagining that it would be picked up and made public.

Provincial Moderator.—The Rev. E. G. Taylor, of Alberni, who was appointed moderator of the Presbytery of Victoria last week, is in town. He has been for four years pastor of the Presbyterian congregation of Alberni, and is doing good work. Mr. Taylor is from Nova Scotia, the province which has sent a large number of successful men to this city, and other parts of British Columbia. He returns to Alberni by the Queen City next Saturday.

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The lacrosse match on Saturday between Victoria and Nanaimo, will probably be one of the best contested games of the season, as both teams will be evenly matched. Victoria, defeated Vancouver recently by a score of 10 goals to 2, and Nanaimo defeated the same team by 13 goals to 3, so when the two victorious clubs meet at the Caledonia grounds, an exciting contest will be witnessed. The Victoria boys are practising regularly, and it is hoped that a large number of people will turn out and encourage the players. They certainly deserve every encouragement. They have played pluckily all their league games up to date, even when several of the best players have been unable to leave their work. Last year, the club contracted some debts, and last season as much as possible, and the old debts are being paid. By the end of the season the club hopes to be free of indebtedness.

On Saturday, the 21st, the Westminster team will play Victoria on the Caledonia grounds, when doubtless a very large crowd will witness the game. This match, judging by the last one played here between these two teams, will be the event of the season. Those who were fortunate enough to be present at the last game, will remember that the score was four goals all, after an extra twenty minutes had been played without either side being able to get a goal. On the 21st, the Victoria boys will win. On the 21st, the Victoria boys will make another determined effort to lower the colors of the champions, and the strongest team available will be placed in the field. This will most likely be the respectable Fraser river players this season, as the game on Saturday week will be the last league match of the season for the local team. Ed. Burns will not play, as he is going East with the Vancouver Y. M. C. A. club, who will play the Y. M. C. A.'s expect to start next week. They are practising steadily, and every effort will be made to have the boys in the best possible condition for their trip. Archie Macnaughton and Ken Campbell have been out and they are showing good form. After Victoria and Westminster play on the 21st, the Victoria club will hold a wind-up meeting, when a financial statement will be given to the public.

The match between Victoria and Nanaimo at the Caledonia grounds on Saturday, will be played, rain or shine. The teams will be announced tomorrow morning.

TO MEET AGAIN.

Mr. Drake's Eleven to Play the Navy on Saturday Afternoon.

The return match between Mr. Drake's eleven and the Navy Cricket club, will take place on Saturday afternoon at the Caledonia grounds. This game will be well worth seeing, as last Saturday the Navy were defeated by one wicket, within two minutes of time, after a most exciting finish.

HOCKEY.

High School Girls Hockey Club Officers Elected.

The Hockey Club of the Girls' High school held a meeting yesterday, and elected the following officers: Miss Watson, president; Miss Tully, captain; Miss Hardy, vice-captain; and Miss Black, secretary-treasurer.

CLUB RE-ORGANIZED.

Officers Elected by the Members of Columbia Football Club.

At a meeting of the Columbia Football club held in the Philharmonic hall, Fort street, the club was organized for the ensuing season. The following members were present: A. Netherby, R. J. Fell, W. Shanks, J. Harte, A. T. Pierce, D. Hunter, L. O'Keefe, H. Gantley, P. Andrews, H. Nesbitt, W. Blackburn, T. G. Wilson, C. Berkeley, B. Wilson, T. Andrews, and J. Lawson. The officers elected were: A. Netherby, president; R. J. Fell, captain; C. Berkeley, vice-captain; and Miss Black, secretary-treasurer. The old colors, red and white, were again chosen. The first practice will be held on Saturday afternoon, and all members and intending members are requested to turn out.

SPORTING NOTES.

The James Bay and Fernwood juniors will meet in a lacrosse match on Saturday afternoon.

At Seattle on Wednesday the Vancouver cricket team defeated Seattle by 120 runs to 88.

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THE ROYAL VISIT.

Official Announcement of Arrival and Departure of the Prince.

The provincial government yesterday received a letter from the secretary of state for Canada, informing them that His Royal Highness Prince Albert Edward would arrive at Vancouver at 11:45 o'clock a.m. on September 30, and leave there at 5 a.m. on October 1. He will arrive at Victoria at 10 a.m. on October 1 and will depart at 10:30 p.m. of the night of October 2.

PROVINCIAL PLACERS.

Treasury Department Received 150 Ounces of Dust Yesterday.

The treasury department purchased yesterday 100 ounces of coarse gold and dust from McKee creek, Atlin, and about 50 ounces from the Wick Peak beach placer. Atlin gold is of good quality and will likely assay over \$17 to the ounce.

FOR THE EXHIBITION.

Improvements Being Made at the Exhibition Grounds.

The grounds and buildings committee visited the exhibition grounds yesterday to inspect the improvements being made there. The building is resplendent in a coat of new white paint, and the painters and carpenters are busy arranging and decorating the inside of the building. The band stand as arranged at present is quite an acquisition. The grand stand is nearing completion, and the track which has had the undivided attention of Chairman Watson Clarke is being put in splendid condition. A new building being constructed by the Albion Iron Works Company for their exhibit is in course of erection. All the space has been applied for, and in so far as the entries go the exhibition will be surprisingly good. The finance committee is however seeking for more funds, for they state that they have not had the support merited from the merchants, and would like, if the funds came in well, to advertise on a larger scale.

RUSH OF VISITORS.

Rich Americans Flooding to Canada to See Royalty.

From Montreal Star.
From present indications, there will be a very great influx of visitors into Montreal during the two days of the royal visit, September 18 and 19.

A conservative estimate places the number of outside visitors who will try to get a peep at Royalty on this occasion at between 30,000 and 50,000. The managers of the different hotels have for weeks been receiving heavy mails daily composed of letters from wealthy Americans who desire to secure the very best accommodation to be obtained in this city.

The bulk of these requests have come from the States of New York and Pennsylvania. Very few applications have so far come from the West, and it is supposed that Toronto will capture the bulk of the visitors from those districts. It is now known that the big Montreal hotels will be taxed to their utmost capacity to accommodate the rush which is now assured.

BUSINESS POINTERS.

Henry Rutland, 57 Johnson street, has just opened up the line of stills and Pedra hats, direct from some of the most noted manufacturers in England, which may be seen in his store windows this week. The prices, for the class of hat, are exceptionally low, and should command a ready sale. They are the very latest. Mr. Rutland is also offering a fine line of tweed and serge men's suits, which are hard to beat for quality and price. In the course of another week Mr. Rutland promises the public something even more surprising in the way of furnishings. See his ad. for prices, etc.

For a gun that will shoot what you shoot at, take a shoot into Pickens & Lenfesty's sporting goods depot on Johnson street, and you will get what you are after.

Now is the hour of our discontent made happy by crawling beneath the folds of one of those new rain coats to be had at Sea & Gowen. They have just opened up a fine line of them. Call early and secure a choice. See their ad. elsewhere for prices and particulars.

The Queen's hotel, under its new management, is rapidly becoming one of the most popular hotels in Victoria. The rates are moderate and the house is run on both American and European plans. Its rooms are equal to the best on the Pacific Coast. There is a first class restaurant in connection, and the cuisine is of the highest class. The Queen's hotel is centrally located on the corner of Johnson and Store street, and its popular proprietor, Mr. R. B. McClelland, leaves nothing undone that will tend to the comfort of his guests. See ad. elsewhere for rates, etc.

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McGILL MATRICULATIONS.

Candidates for University Honors Writing at Vancouver.

The regular half-yearly examination of candidates for matriculation to McGill University commenced in the Vancouver High School building on Wednesday morning, in charge of Principal Shaw. There are about 12 candidates to write in all. Some of these only take a portion of the examination, having taken some subjects at the spring examinations.

Of the number more than half came from Nanaimo and Victoria, the examinations only being held at Vancouver at this time. Four of the candidates are taking the full examination for the medical matriculation, and one is taking the whole work for the Arts course.

The examinations will continue until Wednesday of next week, and the results will not be known until the work of the candidates has been sent to Montreal to be examined and marked.

MANITOBA ELECTIONS.

Expected That Legislature Will Dissolve This Fall.

Winnipeg, Man., Sept. 12.—(Special).—The Liberals are preparing for early elections in Manitoba, as it is thought that Premier Roblin will dissolve the legislature in October or November. A provincial Liberal convention is called for November 13.

FROM VANCOUVER.

C. P. R. Brakeman Hurt—The Carnegie Library.

Vancouver, Sept. 12.—(Special).—Frank Springer, a C. P. R. brakeman fell from the top of a moving train yesterday and sustained serious injuries.

The plan of G. W. Grant have been accepted for the free library. The following resolution was passed: "That the plan be accepted, providing always that completed plans are prepared without delay, and that conditions required by and acceptable to the committee are complied with by the architect whose plans may be accepted, and that a guarantee be given that the building can be erected for the sum of \$40,000."

Residence of Mr. Gibson, on Gibson's road, not far from Junction House, was devastated by fire early last evening. The flames originated from a bush fire which was burning in the neighborhood. The house was completely destroyed as well as the barns. The loss was \$2,000, partly covered by insurance. In attempting to save \$100 in bills, Mr. Gibson narrowly escaped being burned to death and had to grope his way from the house without the money.

I made one hole in five strokes, announced the new golfer, gleefully. The ideal exclaimed the other golfer, who was even newer. I invariably make a hole with every shot. I never can hit the ground in the same place twice.—Philadelphia Press.

Millinery Opening at The White House on Tuesday, Sept. 17. Remember the date.

The Superiority and Purity of

Cowan's Hygienic Cocoa

Queens Dessert Chocolate

Are making them popular with everybody. Ask your Grocer for them.

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Finest horses, buggies, phaetons and carriages.
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Latest and up-to-date hacks all fitted with RUBBER TIED WHEELS.
HEAVY TEAMING

Having greatly increased our stock of heavy teams, trucks and wagons, we are prepared to contract for hauling heavy loads, ROCK, GRAVEL, SAND, LUMBER or other material, at very low rates.

Telephone Call 129

Can You?
Can you see "by the dawn's early light" or any other light as well as you ought? If there is any defect in your vision, or any discomfort in using your eyes, we will remedy the trouble promptly. Glasses will do it and we'll take the glasses.

A. P. BLYTH.
Scientific Optician and Watchmaker.
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Arrived at ORIENTAL BAZAAR, 90 Douglas St., and at YOKOHAMA BAZAAR, 152 Government St. Near Victoria Hotel.

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THE WESTSIDE

Victoria's Popular Dry Goods Store.....Friday, September 13, 1901.

End of Week Special Bargains

THE WESTSIDE is emphatic in the assertion that its Bargain giving position is impregnable. If there's a fraction of advantage to be gained in buying immense quantities for spot cash the management hears of it. Every department is full of a bargain magnetism rarely equalled, so that there's abundant game both large and small for the bargain hunter. A whole week's bargains are crowded into to-day's offerings.

Men's Umbrellas
Men's Steel Rod Umbrellas with natural wood handles. Regular value \$1.25 each. End of week 90c

Ladies' Umbrellas
Ladies' Umbrellas, with steel rods and natural wood or horn handles. Regular value \$1.00. End of week, 75c

Ladies' Waterproofs
Ladies' Waterproofs with or without cape. Regular value \$7.50 to \$20.00 each. End of week, \$5.25

Rainy Day Skirts
Ladies' Tweed and Grey Housecoat Rainy Day Skirts, stylish cut. Regular value \$3.00. End of week \$1.95

Ladies' Undervests
Ladies' all-wool Ribbed Undervests, with long sleeves. Regular value 75c. End of week, 50c

A Hosiery Bargain
Ladies' Fast Black "Comfort" Hosiery, with natural wool feet. Regular value 40c. per pair. End of week, 25c

Curtain Net
Nottingham Lace Curtains, 48 inches wide. Regular value 18c. per yard. End of week, 12c

Extra fine quality, 48 inches wide. Regular value 90c. per yard. End of week, 20c

Curtain Poles
Cottage Curtain Poles, in Mahogany and Oak, suitable for bedroom use. Regular value 35c. complete. End of week, 20c

Men's Underwear
Men's Heavy Fleece-Lined Undervests and pants, warm and comfortable. Regular value 75c. per garment. End of week, 50c

Table Linen
72-inch extra heavy half bleached Table Linen. Regular value 50c. per yard. End of week, 35c

CUT PRICE LIST

Regular. Today.
Shell Hair Pins, each 5c.....24c.
Steel Hair Curlers, doz.10c.....25c.
Shell "Hair Loos" each 15c.....35c.
each 15c.....35c.
Bundles Assorted Tape, each.15c.....10c.

Write for New Illustrated Fall Catalogue just issued.

The Hutcheson Company Ltd., Victoria, B.C.

PICKEN & LENFESTY Kenwood
45 JOHNSON STREET.
Guns, Ammunition, Sporting Goods.
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Just the thing to take on a hunting trip.

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New Suits For Men
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VICTORIA, B.C.
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Tzouhalem Hotel
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This new and commodious hotel is now open for guests. Terms moderate. Special rates by the week or month. Under the same management.
THE
Lakeside Hotel
Cowichan Lake
the most noted fishing resort on the Island. Stages leave TZOUHALEM HOTEL for Cowichan Lake Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.
Daily for Mt. Sicker at 12 o'clock. Special return tickets issued by the B. & N. railway from Victoria to Cowichan lake, good for 15 days, \$5.00.

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THE FINEST ICE CREAM PARLOR IN THE CITY

For the best and purest Ice Cream and Ice Cream Sodas, made from Pure Cream and the finest and Purest Fruit Juices, remember the only place to get the best is
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Headquarters for the largest collection of Ancient and Rare Curiosities and Baskets
gathered from all parts of British Columbia and Alaska. F. J. ANDERSON, 43 Johnson street.

Blue Ribbon White Label

is the most delicious tea in the world.

Are you drinking it?

NEW OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Appointments and Notices in Yesterday's Official Gazette—Pheasant Shooting.

Hezekiah G. Hall is appointed to hold the Small Game court for Victoria during the absence through illness of Peter S. Lammiman.

James Pottinger is appointed foreman of the government printing office.

The resignation of P. H. Heigson, of Keithley Creek, Cariboo, as justice of the peace, is accepted.

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has ordered that the disabilities as to the shooting of cock pheasants within the limits of that part of the province, west of the Cascade range, known as the lower portion of the Mainland, excepting the Squamish Valley, be removed for the period of one month from the 15th day of October to the 15th day of November, 1901, both days inclusive. It is ordered and declared that it shall be lawful to shoot cock pheasants within the limits of that part of the province, west of the Cascade range, known as the lower portion of the Mainland, excepting the Squamish Valley, for a period of one month to date from the 15th day of October to the 15th day of November, 1901, both days inclusive.

The following new school districts are created:

Mount Sicker School District—All that area of land embraced within the circumference of a circle whose centre is the entrance to the upper tunnel of the Leona mine, on Mount Sicker, and whose radius is a distance of two miles from such centre.

Morris Valley School District—Commencing at the point where the northern boundary of North Nicomen school district touches the west bank of the Harrison river; thence due west five miles; thence due north six miles; thence due east to the shore of Harrison lake; and thence south following the shore line of Harrison lake and river to the point of commencement.

Certificates of competency as mine managers have been issued to the following:

Benjamin Brown, Nanaimo, B. C. Thos. R. Stockett, jr., Fernie, B. C. Robinson Pearson, Fernie, B. C. John Coughlin, Extension, B. C. Robert Boydell Lamb, Fernie, B. C. Daniel Evans, Calgary, Alberta.

Tenders are invited for the building of a two-roomed frame school house at Enderby, Yale district.

For the erection of a bridge across the Kettle river, at Ingram's, West Kootenay, plans, and specifications may be seen at the department of lands and works, Victoria, and the office of the government agent at Greenwood, on or after September 9. Tenders to be received up to noon of September 30.

Certificates of incorporation have been issued to the following:

The British Columbia Salvage Company, Limited, capital, \$100,000.

The Chieftain Copper Mines of British Columbia, Limited; capital, \$1,000,000.

The Johnson, Edwards & Company, Limited, Vancouver, capital, \$150,000.

Real estate, insurance, brokerage and commission.

The Sloan-Republic Mining & Development Company, Limited; capital, \$1,500,000.

The Duncan Mining & Development Company, Limited; capital, \$40,000.

Courts of revision of voters' lists will be held for North Victoria at the court house, Salt Spring Island, on Monday, September 14, at 10 o'clock, at the court house, Cumberland, on November 4.

Ross Mahon, Ganges Harbor, Salt Spring Island, applies for a lease of land on Lantz harbor, Salt Spring Island, to be used for oyster cultivation.

LARGEST LIFT BRIDGE.

Chicago's New Structure Is Greater Than London's Tower Bridge.

From Chicago Inter-Ocean.

In a few days the largest rolling lift bridge in the world will be opened in Chicago. The structure spans the Chicago river just south of Taylor street, and is remarkable for an engineering standpoint for its great length. The river at the point where it is spanned is 120 feet in width, and the bridge crosses it at an angle of thirty-six and a half degrees, making it 275 feet long between the points of bearing and 450 feet long from end to end.

The entire structure, with the exception of the east iron counter weights, is built of steel and weighs 4,300,078 pounds. A notable thing in connection is that the counter dams cost less and afforded less trouble than those used in building the bridge over the canal.

The cost of the construction was \$450,000, which was paid by the drainage board alone.

At first it was deemed impossible to span the river at this point, but, despite the opinion of several engineering experts, Engineer Walter H. Dyer of the board, was convinced that it would be done.

Mr. Randolph entered into consultation with the Scherzer Bridge Company, and the Scherzer patent rolling lift bridge, and the result is the present structure.

Engineers in the city are unanimous in declaring this bridge one of the greatest feats, from an engineering standpoint, in the country. The bearings of the bridge, instead of being pinned like those of an ordinary bascule bridge, are free and move backward and forward on a steel table.

The ordinary bascule bridge is on the principles of a lever of the first order, while this bridge works on the principles of a lever of the second order. On the whole the movement of the bridge is much more free than that of an ordinary lift bridge, and causes less of a strain.

Each moving leaf contains about two million pounds, and, aside from having the largest span of any moving bridge ever built, the structure is especially noticeable, in that it is built for the heaviest railroad service, carrying double tracks.

The bridge is designed for a load of 10,000 pounds per lineal foot of bridge, in addition to a concentrated load of 100,000 pounds at any given point on the floor of the structure, thus giving it a carrying capacity of more than twice that of the longest lift bridge in the world—the Tower bridge of London, which is 200 feet long, and only designed for highway traffic.

Don't think that eruption of yours can't be cured. Take Hood's Sarsaparilla—its virtue is its power to cure.

Money is like blood, said the spendthrift Nephew; it isn't any good unless it keeps in circulation.

Yes, answered the Wise Uncle, but you shouldn't let either of them get away from you.—Baltimore American.

SANDLES FOR THE SEASIDE.

A New Fashion Which Has Grown Phenomenally in England.

From London Telegraph.

Never before in its history has the wholesale boot trade witnessed such a remarkable phenomenon as the sudden demand that has sprung up within the last few weeks for sandals for children's holiday wear. Early visitors to the seaside resorts have noticed that shoes and stockings are practically abandoned by boys and girls up to the ages of fourteen and fifteen years, and that the little legs are as sure as the feet of the adults. The demand for sandals is now so great that the manufacturers are already wearing them, and those connected with the great industry in London and other centres confess themselves completely puzzled as to the origin and swift development of the innovation. In a way it has had a somewhat dislocating effect upon this branch of commerce, inasmuch as the demand for children's ordinary boots and shoes is practically at a standstill, while those firms who have been able to adapt their machinery to the new need are simply swamped with orders.

A few inquiries in the city one afternoon this week sufficed to show the magnitude of the demand that has arisen. One of the largest of the Leicester manufacturing firms, which has showrooms near Champs, admitted that it is in arrears already with its orders, though it is now, and has been for some weeks past, turning the sandals out at the rate of nearly 1,500 pairs a day.

In another instance the heads of one of the huge distributing houses of general drapery in Cannon street sent to another wholesale bootmaker for samples and prices to quote for a provincial buyer, and received the reply that they had not a specimen pair left to send, and that their machinery would be engaged to its utmost capacity for the next month on the contracts already in hand. A notable fact on the subject is that the sandals which are now in fashion have become general. Up to last season a few hundred pairs, chiefly to be worn by ladies for bathing on shingly beaches, were all that were required. It is about six weeks since the present "boom" began, and for the last month it has been extending by leaps and bounds. Existing machinery required considerable adaptation to enable it to cope with the altered patterns, and many firms hesitated to make the modifications, believing that the demand was due to a merely passing whim. Hence those more enterprising houses are deriving the benefit, and at present prices of sandals are relatively very high compared with those of boots and shoes, with their greater amount of workmanship. Bargains and "job lots" are consequently not to be looked for this season.

On the hygienic and anatomical advantages of the sandal for young children while the foot is growing there is no question. The pattern that has been adopted for the sole is well in accordance with the outlines of the foot, and the method of fastening by soft, easy strap around the ankle allows free play for the joint. No one is a higher authority on the foot than Mr. T. W. Lunt, the consulting surgeon of the Middlesex hospital, and he expresses emphatic approval of the innovation. He points out that for comfort and well being in walking it is necessary that the heel of the wearer should remain perfectly steady in the back of the shoe, and that unless this is preserved, holding the foot in the proper line, (which is from the centre of the foot to the centre of the great toe, "treading over" and consequent abnormal strains occur. With the sandal this becomes impossible. At the same time, he cautions upon parents not to look upon the sandal as a cure for retraction (crumpling up) of the toes or many other of the seemingly small deformities of the feet. These are far less due to bad habits and mistakes, or merely local causes, than to obscure after consequences of measles or other infantile complaints.

They make one feel as though life was over when the foot is in a sandal. It is a relief after eating; it will relieve dyspepsia, aid digestion, give tone and vigor to the system.

The infant of the household was in its cradle. The head of the house was at home, peevish and faultfinding. At length he became unendurable. You're doing nothing but make mistakes tonight, he growled. Yes, answered meekly, I began by putting the wrong baby to bed.—Chicago Journal.

Mr. Ferguson—Did you have a good time at Mrs. Ferguson's?—No, I was miserably lonesome.

Mr. Ferguson—Lonesome?

Mr. Ferguson—Yes, I was the only woman there who hadn't been having trouble with her help.—Chicago Tribune.

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Finance and Commerce

CHICAGO MARKETS.

Chicago, Sept. 12.—The following were the closing prices of futures on the Exchange today: Wheat, Sept., 65 1/2; 65 1/2; Oct., 66 1/2; Dec., 70 1/2; May, 74 and 7 1/2; Corn, Sept., 50 1/2; Oct., 50 1/2; Dec., 50 1/2; May, 50 1/2; Oats, Sept., 30 1/2; Dec., 30 1/2; May, 30 1/2; Soybeans, Sept., 11 1/2; Dec., 11 1/2; May, 11 1/2; Pork, Sept., 10 1/2; Dec., 10 1/2; May, 10 1/2; Lard, Sept., 8 1/2; Dec., 8 1/2; May, 8 1/2; Sugar, Sept., 11 1/2; Dec., 11 1/2; May, 11 1/2; Coffee, Sept., 11 1/2; Dec., 11 1/2; May, 11 1/2; Cotton, Sept., 11 1/2; Dec., 11 1/2; May, 11 1/2.

DAILY MARKET QUOTATIONS.

(By Victoria Stock & Realty Agency, Ltd.)

New York, Sept. 12.—The following quotations ruled on the Produce Exchange today:

Wheat—Open, High, Low, Close.

Dec. 75 1/2 76 1/4 75 1/4 76 1/4

Sept. 74 1/2 74 3/4 74 1/4 74 3/4

Liverpool Wheat—					
Dec.	61 1/2	61 1/4	61 1/4	61 1/2	5-7 1/2
Dec.	61 1/2	61 1/4	61 1/4	61 1/2	5-7 1/2
New York, Sept. 12.—The following quotations ruled on the Stock Exchange today:					
Open, High, Low, Close.					
Amn. Sugar	13 1/4	13 1/4	12 3/4	12 3/4	
People's Gas	110 1/2	110 1/2	110	110	
C. M. & S. P.	110 1/2	110 1/2	110	110	
Amn. Copper	113 1/2	113 1/2	113 1/2	113 1/2	
Manhattan	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2	
C. R. I. & P.	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2	
R. R. T.	107 1/2	107 1/2	107 1/2	107 1/2	
A. & S. P. pfd	106 1/2	106 1/2	106 1/2	106 1/2	
S. P. com	57 1/2	57 1/2	57 1/2	57 1/2	
S. Steel com	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2	
Mo. Pacific	103 1/2	103 1/2	102	102	
L. & N.	103 1/2	103 1/2	102 1/2	102 1/2	
Sou. Railway	32 1/2	32 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2	
U. P. com	98 1/2	98 1/2	97 1/2	97 1/2	
Erle com	42 1/2	42 1/2	42	42	
Wabash	40 1/2	40 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2	
T. C. & I.	61 1/2	61 1/2	60 1/2	60 1/2	
A. & S. P. com	92 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2	

Money on call, 5% and 6 per cent, 4 1/2 and 5 per cent.

LONDON MARKET.

Atchafalca com., 12:30 p. m., 77 1/2; N. Y. Equiv., 75 1/2; change from N. Y. close, Adv. 3/4; 4 p. m., 78 1/2; N. Y. Equiv., 76 1/2; change from N. Y. close, Adv. 1/2.

Louisville & Nashville, 12:30 p. m., 104; N. Y. Equiv., 103 1/2; 4 p. m., 104 1/2; change from N. Y. close, Adv. 1/2.

Southern Pacific, 12:30 p. m., 58 1/2; N. Y. Equiv., 57 1/2; change from N. Y. close, Adv. 1/2.

U. S. Steel com., 12:30 p. m., 45 1/2; N. Y. Equiv., 44 1/2; change from N. Y. close, Adv. 1/2.

St. Paul, 12:30 p. m., 108 1/2; N. Y. Equiv., 107 1/2; 4 p. m., 108 1/2; N. Y. Equiv., 107 1/2; change from N. Y. close, Adv. 1/2.

Erle, 12:30 p. m., 43 1/2; N. Y. Equiv., 42 1/2; 4 p. m., 43 1/2; N. Y. Equiv., 42 1/2; change from N. Y. Equiv., Adv. 1/2.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

New York, Sept. 12.—The following were the closing bids on the Stock Exchange today:

Amalgamated Copper	111
American Tobacco	130 1/2
American Smelting & Refining	129 1/2
American Smelting & Refining pfd	45
Anacosta	45 1/2
Atchafalca	75 1/2
Atchafalca pfd	97 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	101 1/2
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	107 1/2
Canadian Pacific	104 1/2
Canada Southern	73 1/2
Chesapeake & Ohio	45 1/2
Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific com	43 1/2
Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul	101
Consolidated Gas	22 1/2
Colorado Fuel & Iron	37
C. C. & St. L.	10 1/2
Delaware & Hudson	23 1/2
Denver & Rio Grande	9 1/2
Duluth, S. S. & A. pfd	20
Great Northern Railway pfd	18 1/2
General Electric	220 1/2
Jersey Central	10 1/2
Kansas & Texas pfd	55 1/2
Louisville & Nashville	102 1/2
Manhattan Elevated	117 1/2
Missouri Pacific	102
Metropolitan Trust	124 1/2
New York, L. E. & W.	12 1/2
New York, L. E. & W. 2nd pfd	50
New York, L. E. & W. 1st pfd	70 1/2
New York, Ontario & Western	42 1/2
Pacific Mail	13 1/2
P. & O. Gas	11 1/2
Philadelphia & Reading	43 1/2
Southern Railway com	31 1/2
Southern Railway pfd	37 1/2
Southern Pacific	57 1/2
Tennessee Coal & Iron	63
Texas Pacific	42
Twin City	30 1/2
United States Leather Co.	12 1/2
United States Leather pfd	8 1/2
United States Steel com	43 1/2
United States Steel pfd	103 1/2
United States Rubber com	18 1/2
Union Pacific com	97 1/2
Wabash	22 1/2
Wabash pfd	30 1/2
Western Union	92 1/2
Wisconsin Central pfd	42 1/2
Wisconsin Central	42 1/2
Commercial Cable	18 1/2
C. P. R. in London	114 1/2

Money on call, firm at 4 and 5 per cent; last loan, 5 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 5 and 5 1/2 per cent; sterling exchange, heavy at \$4.85 1/2, for demand, \$4.85 1/2, and at \$4.82 1/2 for 60 days; posted rates, \$4.83 1/2 to \$4.84, and \$4.86 to \$4.87; commercial bills, \$4.82 and \$4.83 1/2; better, 58 1/2; Mexican dollars, 45 1/2; government bonds, steady.

PRICES BEING PAID FARMERS.

(By W. G. Dickenson.)	
Eggs, fresh, per doz., trade	30c
Eggs, fresh, per doz., cash	27c
Butter, dairy	25 to 30c
Potatoes	\$18
Oats	\$20
Wheat	\$25 to \$26

ON WALL STREET.

New York, Sept. 12.—The news from Buffalo was practically eliminated as an influence from the stock market today. The coming bank statement began to loom on the horizon, as tomorrow's preliminary figures of the week's cash movements will allow some estimate of what the showing will be. In the item of loans, however, the statement itself on Saturday will have to be awaited. Apparently there can be no escape from a weak statement on both scores. The banks have lost cash on the interior movements during the week, but the drain to the sub-treasury has been sensibly diminished. The acceptance by the Secretary of the Treasury of tenders of government bonds not taken up after the market closed today, and the payments for these bonds are too late to figure in this week's bank statement.

Yesterday's feeling of skepticism on the efficacy of this measure to give relief to the money market was somewhat lessened in the market today, and the additional share rise in the bid prices of government bonds on call increased the doubt as to the tender being at a price which the secretary would be inclined to accept in any large amount. The expressed unwillingness of the Secretary to make considerable bonus to owners of bonds to induce them to sell, influenced this feeling, which was a considerable factor in the heaviness and uncertainty which pervaded the market all day. The St. Paul dividend episode was disconcerting to all the speculators who had made very confident predictions of an increase in the dividend, and had bought stocks on the strength of their belief. Their most plausible argument was at the time the St. Paul authorities rejected the offer made afterwards by the Burlington, assurances were given to stockholders that they would fare as well as though the offer had been accepted. Reputable stock was particularly weak, as an after effect of the poor showing of the annual report, and Amalgamated Copper was conspicuously under pressure all day. Sugar was sold ostensibly on account of the loss of the first canning season. Other

price movements of considerable extent were in stocks of little prominence.

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DATES OF FALL SHOWS.

Kamloops, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, 25th, 26th, 27th September.

Agassiz, Tuesday, 4th September.

New Westminster, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, October 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th.

Wellington, no show.

Langley, Wednesday, 18th September.

Cowichan, Friday and Saturday, 6th and 7th September.

Victoria, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, 1st to 5th October.

Santhal, Friday and Saturday, 27th and 28th September.

Kelowna, 29th and 31st September, Friday and Saturday.

Islands, Wednesday, 25th September.

Surrey, Wednesday, 24th September.

Comox, Thursday, 20th September.

Richmond, Tuesday, Wednesday, 8th and 9th October.

Maple Ridge, Tuesday, 17th September.

Inland, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, 23rd, 24th, 25th September, at Ashcroft.

Nanaimo, Friday and Saturday, September 28th and 29th.

Chilliwack, Wednesday, 25th September.

Thursday, 26th, Friday, 27th.

Salmon Arm, Wednesday and Thursday, 18th and 19th September.

Mission, Friday, 20th September.

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THE WEATHER.

Meteorological Office,
Victoria, Sept. 12—8 p. m.
SYNOPSIS.
A storm area central in Canada, covers the whole of the province, and unsettled and rainy weather has prevailed from Vancouver Island to the valley of the Thompson river, nearly three-quarters of an inch of rain having fallen on the lower Mainland delta. Rain has also been general in Washington and Oregon. In the Northwest the barometer continues to be low, no rainfall is reported and the weather has been mostly fair, with moderate temperatures. Light frost occurred in Alberta.

TEMPERATURE.	Min.	Max.
Victoria	51	58
New Westminster	50	58
Kamloops	41	64
Barkerville	30	64
Calgary	42	70
Winnipeg	42	64
Portland, Ore.	52	64
San Francisco	54	62

For 24 hours from 5 a. m. (Pacific time).
Friday: Victoria and vicinity: Moderate or fresh westerly wind, unsettled and cool, with showers.
Lower Mainland: Light or moderate winds, unsettled, with rain; not much change in temperature.

VICTORIA DAILY RECORD.
Report for 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Observations taken daily at 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m.

THURSDAY, SEPT. 12.	Day.	Mean.
5 a. m.	54.7	51.5
Noon	57.5	55.8
5 p. m.	52.0	54.1
Correspondence.		
The velocity and direction of the wind are as follows:		
5 a. m.	5.0 miles calm	
Noon	5.0 miles southwest	
5 p. m.	5.0 miles southeast	
Average state of weather—Showery.		
Rain—1.1 inches.		
Sunshine—12 minutes.		
Barometer at noon—Observed.....29.810		
Corrected.....29.825		
NEW WESTMINSTER.		
Barometer at 5 p. m.—Corrected.....29.90		

Millinery Opening at The White House on Tuesday, Sept. 17. Remember the date.

VICTORIA TIDES.

For the Month of September, 1901.
(Issued by the "Tidal Survey Branch of the Department of the Marine and Fisheries, Ottawa.)
The zero of the accompanying scale corresponds to the average lowest spring tide, and is the point above which the water of the Esquimalt Dry Dock.
The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120 meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The height is in feet and tenths of a foot.

Day.	Time.	Height.	Day.	Time.	Height.
1. S.	4.41	2.10	14. S.	4.10	3.81
2. S.	5.52	6.91	15. S.	4.17	3.81
3. S.	7.03	11.72	16. S.	5.28	8.62
4. W.	8.14	16.53	17. S.	6.39	13.43
5. W.	9.25	21.34	18. S.	7.50	18.24
6. Th.	10.36	26.15	19. S.	8.61	23.05
7. Th.	11.47	30.96	20. S.	9.72	27.86
8. F.	12.58	35.77	21. S.	10.83	32.67
9. F.	14.09	40.58	22. S.	11.94	37.48
10. S.	15.20	45.39	23. S.	13.05	42.29
11. S.	16.31	50.20	24. S.	14.16	47.10
12. Th.	17.42	55.01	25. S.	15.27	51.91
13. Th.	18.53	59.82	26. S.	16.38	56.72
14. F.	20.04	64.63	27. S.	17.49	61.53
15. F.	21.15	69.44	28. S.	18.60	66.34
16. S.	22.26	74.25	29. S.	19.71	71.15
17. S.	23.37	79.06	30. S.	20.82	75.96
18. Th.	24.48	83.87			
19. Th.	25.59	88.68			
20. F.	27.10	93.49			
21. F.	28.21	98.30			
22. S.	29.32	103.11			
23. S.	30.43	107.92			
24. Th.	31.54	112.73			
25. Th.	32.65	117.54			
26. F.	33.76	122.35			
27. F.	34.87	127.16			
28. S.	35.98	131.97			
29. S.	37.09	136.78			
30. Th.	38.20	141.59			

WONDERS OF THE HEART.

All the blood in the human body passes through the heart in about three minutes. The heart beats 70 times a second, 4,200 times an hour, 100,800 times a day, throwing out 2 1/2 buckets of blood a second, 456 lbs. an hour, 7 1/2 tons a day. It is only when supplied with pure, rich blood that the heart, an organ 6 inches long by 4 inches wide, can accomplish this enormous amount of work and rebuild its own wasted tissues. Dr. Chase's Nerve Food is the most effective treatment available for heart affections because it forms new, red corpuscles in the blood and gives to it that life-sustaining quality which is necessary to the health of every organ.

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"She hasn't, just yet, sah," explained Uncle Gabe, briefly.
"Oh! She's the second, perhaps?"

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SALES WEEKLY

A Verdict Of Manslaughter

The Coroner's Jury Hold John Rogers and Eugene Brooks Are Guilty.

Dramatic "Confession" of the Conscience Smitten Elder Amends Former Evidence.

The adjourned inquest in the case of Victoria Helen Rogers, daughter of John Rogers of Sayward avenue, who came to her death by diphtheria accelerated, as it is alleged, by the neglect of her parents to provide medical assistance, was resumed yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock, in the city police court, before Dr. Hart, coroner.

Dr. Fagan, provincial health officer, sworn: Was present at the post mortem made on the body of deceased. The body was that of a well-nourished child. Dr. Hart made the post mortem examination, and witness was present to take bacteriological specimens for examination. Took specimens from the throat and examined them according to the usual routine. Found bacillus of diphtheria present. From the cursory examination of the body would conclude that the child died of diphtheria. Had no doubt that deceased had the disease.

Eugene Brooks, next in addressing the jury the witness said he had a last confession to make regarding his last testimony. "I asked the doctor that I might have this privilege, and he has very kindly consented to it," he said. "I feel that I did not honor God in my evidence at the last inquest."

"I wanted the privilege to make that right. "God says, 'When you are brought before kings, judges and rulers for my sake, take no thought of what you shall speak for it shall be given you in that hour.' This, I am sorry to say, I did not do. I did take thought, and in that way I disobeyed God. I feel that I could not truthfully say that God is equal to lying. Not that I knowingly or consciously told an untruth, but by not enlarging upon my answers I felt that I concealed truth that God would have had me speak. I confess in this case, but in other cases, in the other trial, the abbreviations did not honor God. When I learned it my conscience smote me very severely, and I went to Dr. Hart and confessed to him and asked the privilege of confessing to him. I also feel that I did wrong in objecting to answer questions. I don't think I ought to have done so. So if there are any questions which I did not answer to your satisfaction I will cheerfully answer them."

The coroner—"There was one question which was not answered specifically. That was in regard to your teachings as to the use of medicines, and the summoning of medical aid. Brooks—"I will be very glad to explain that. You will understand that our faith teaches us that the bible is the word of God, and believing that we must accept its teachings as revealed to us, and obey it. The word of God says, 'If any of you are sick, let him call in the elders of the church to pray over him, and the prayers shall save him, and the Lord shall raise him up.' God says: 'They shall lay hands on the sick and they shall recover.' Jesus Christ is the saviour today, yesterday and forever, according to Hebrew XII. 8, and that in scores of passages of bible import the Lord instructs us what to do when sick. It is not only positive, but negative. He says—Men may take many medicines, there is no healing for you. Ye are all physicians of no value. "Now, in virtue of these facts I teach that the word of God is the word of God, and as I have so often said, I ought to obey God entirely. Hence it naturally follows to reject all doctors and all remedies. Therefore my teaching is more positive than negative, and that is the reason why I refused to call medical aid. We oppose all remedies and all doctors."

Coroner—"The fact which you did not make clear was whether medical aid was unnecessary or actually wrong."

Brooks—"I believe it is positively wrong. I can't say it is wrong for all, but it certainly is for those who know the truth. For myself, I considered it positively wrong, but I could not say that it would be wrong for everyone who is not a believer. I mean that in the sight of God I could not say that it would be a sin for others, but for me it would be."

Coroner—"You told us you remained at the Rogers house the greater portion of the night before the child's death."

Brooks—"Yes."

Coroner—"You did not make it clear why you remained."

Brooks—"I knew that the child was quite sick. There was no one there, and they had been up a great deal, so I remained. I did nothing for the child in the way of treatment. I went down town when I had a telegram from Dr. Dowie, of Chicago. I saw that we were not gaining the victory, that the child was getting worse, weaker. I did not give up hopes till the mother called me in, and said, 'I believe she's dying.' I looked at the child and saw she was dying. From midnight till about 4 a. m., the child seemed to be better. Previous to that the respiration had been somewhat obstructed. I held several opinions about the child's disease, and at one time thought it was diphtheria, and a contagious disease. Did not feel it my duty to notify anyone. We took proper precaution to prevent others coming or the children going out to injure others. It is all a question of isolation and I don't think it matters who takes the precautions. I did not know absolutely that it was my duty to notify the authorities nor that there is a law to that effect."

"I have never made any charge for my services. There is a tithing system by which members contribute to the support of the church. We teach that one-tenth of everything belongs to God. The collections are taken in at every other church and forwarded by me to headquarters. I do not keep any set of books or anything of that kind. I hold these questions are irrelevant to this case. You seem to wish to pry into private affairs."

A Jurymen—"Are you a Christian?" The coroner interposed, declaring that such questions were irrelevant. Answering a jurymen, Brooks said: "I thought it was decidedly wrong for anyone possessing the truth to employ doctors or medicines in case of disease. A Juror—"Do you think that prayer is all that is necessary?" Brooks—"Yes. That has also to be qualified. If I should pray and afterwards expose the sick person to cold, for instance, it would be wrong. I might be responsible if my faith was not sufficient, though Jesus said all things were possible to him who had faith. Anyone who will pray in faith will get an answer."

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